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PORT OF SANDWICH, KENT - REPORT FOR 1964

MINISTRY OF HEALTH

- I. STAFF: G.T. Rowlands, C.R.S.I.) Port Health Inspectors (included in
W.F. Wilkinson, C.R.S.I.) other duties in the Borough.

Address and telephone number of Medical Officer of Health

Office: 15a Dane John, Canterbury 64411

Home: The Gables, Stodmarsh Road, Canterbury 63391

II. Shipping entering the District in 1964

	<u>Tonnage</u>	<u>Inspected</u>	
		by P.H.I.	by M.O.H.
Foreign Ports - nil	-	-	-
Coastwise - 16	5090	5	-

No ships had infectious disease on board.

- III. The traffic into the port is now limited to timber being moved from other ports, occasionally ballast, and regularly oil, the latter making up most of the traffic.

Traffic to the Town Wharf is timber. Two wharfs are in use at Richborough, one at Pfizers factory and the other (known locally as Dorman Longs, but now owned by Pfizers and known as the Embarkation Wharf from its 1914/1918 usage) adjoining the Cut is used occasionally for ballast. The future potential of the port is likely to be development of timber shipment, boat building (pleasure craft), and commercial usage of the Richborough Wharf by industrial development in that area.

SECTIONS IV nil. V, VI, no change.

- VII. Dr. J.P. Marsden, Rivers Hospital, Dartford 23231 or 22443.
Canterbury Ambulance Station for Ambulance transport Tel: Canterbury 65001.

VIII. No change.

IX. Nil.

- XII. Deratisation Certificates were inspected and two were found to be over due. The matter was taken up with the owners.

The Port is not approved for rat treatment of ships. Rat clearance on a warehouse adjoining the Town Wharf was carried out and only brown rats were identified.

- XIII. The 5 Inspections made disclosed no nuisances on the ships.

- XIV. There are no shellfish beds or laying within the jurisdiction of the Authority.

- XVI. The mortuary now used for the Port and Borough is the Ramsgate Borough mortuary.

W. L. G. H. M.
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